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Unit Topic: Literary Devices  
Subject Area: Language Arts  
Grade Level: 10  
Website: EnglishClub.com

URL: <http://www.englishclub.com/>

Type of website domain (.gov, .edu,. .org, .com): .com

Effect of source domain on accuracy of content: The site offers an array of examples of metaphor. In addition, charts give comparison of the different aspects of metaphors, as well as how metaphor contrasts with simile. Many samples from the site could be borrowed to create an effective lesson plan. While the site is not affiliated with a school, the staff are educated experts on English usage.

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Website: The Open University—“A Short History of Metaphor”

URL: http://tscp.open.ac.uk/t185/html/resources/r2history.htm

Type of website domain (.gov, .edu,. .org, .com): .ac.uk (British academic)

Effect of source domain on accuracy of content: Offers an intriguing and useful theory about the origins of metaphor, as well as a brief account of how metaphor has been used in literature, from the ancient Egyptians to contemporary American culture. The historic review is reliable given the educational nature of the site.

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Website: BYU Rhetoric—“Metaphor”

URL: <http://rhetoric.byu.edu/figures/M/metaphor.htm>

Type of website domain (.gov, .edu,. .org, .com): .edu

Effect of source domain on accuracy of content: The site give a definition of metaphor and several examples. In addition, metaphor is contrasted with other comparative literary devices, such as simile, allegory, or catachresis.

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